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About Town:

VFW camaraderie alive & well in Bryte

By Daryl Fisher
Features Editor

In 1947, only a few years after the conclusion of World War Two, local returning veterans from the Bryte area decided to get together and establish their own Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) service organization. A building on the corner of Lisbon and Hobson streets which had once been the only movie theater in town was generously donated to the veterans to use as their gathering hall, and the new Bryte VFW was in business.

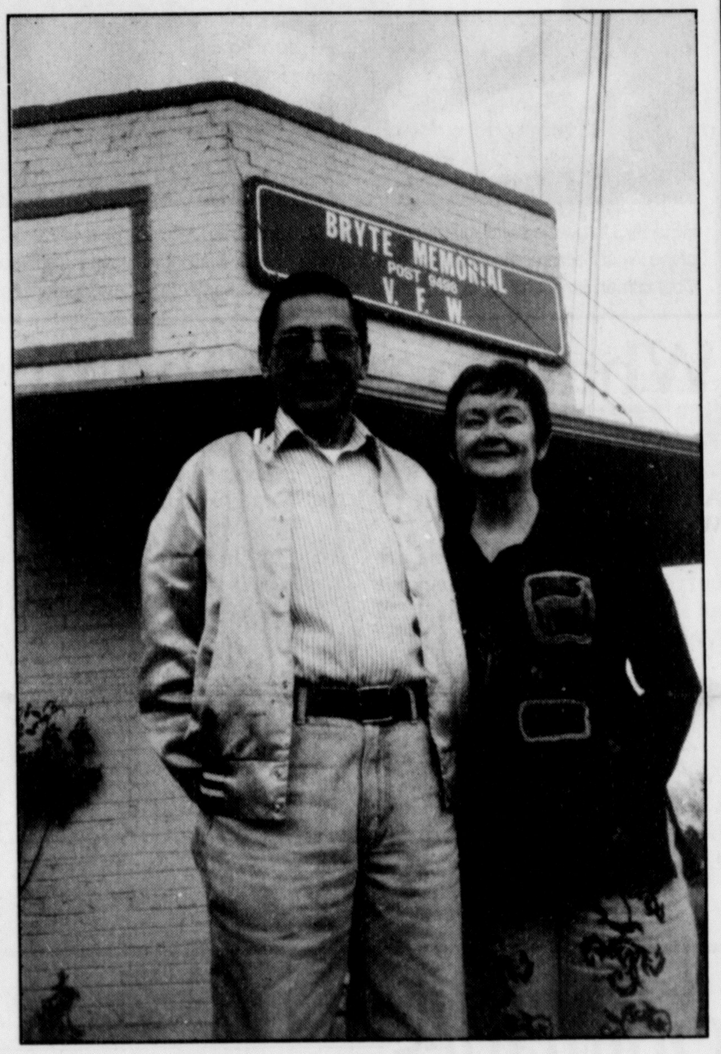
"A high percentage of the young men who grew up in this area in the 1920s, 1930s, and 1940s signed up to fight in World War Two," explained Julian Archuleta, the current commander of the Bryte VFW. "The 1940s was a pretty patriotic time and most everyone from around here wanted to do their part. So, when the war was over, we had a lot of returning veterans, and the Bryte VFW was created to help serve their needs and also give them a friendly place to meet and socialize."

Today's Bryte VFW has approximately 125 members and they are always on the lookout for new blood.

"Most of our members served in World War Two," said Julian. "Unfortunately, not very many Vietnam veterans seem to join the VFW, but more and more Gulf war veterans are starting to sign up, and that's encouraging, because the World War Two veterans can't live forever, and VFW's everywhere do a lot of good and we don't want to see them start dying off."

Sue Archuleta, who works at the Bryte VFW canteen, echoed her husband's appreciation for Veterans of Foreign Wars service organizations.

"The Bryte VFW has been very active in making sure veterans don't lose any of their rights or benefits," explained Sue, "and we have also raised and contributed money to the West Sacramento Christmas Basket, the Sutter hospital hospice, the building of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, and numerous charities in our area. Our ladies auxiliary, which has about 60 members, is also a very hard working group of people and they have been very active in areas like cancer research and making sure the children of this area have a nice Christmas. The VFW hall itself is also a big part of the community and we are always renting it out for weddings, baptisms, birthdays and other important functions."



JULIAN and SUE ARCHULETA

The Bryte VFW has regular gatherings for its membership, including an annual Hawaiian pig feed and Christmas and New Years' Eve parties.

"We try to do as much good as we can in the community," said Sue, "but we also like to just get together and have fun, too. It's a great bunch of people and everybody knows everybody else."

"It doesn't cost very much to be a member," said Julian. "Dues are just $20 a year and initiation fees are only about $25. Anyone interested in joining is more than welcome to drop by the hall anytime they want. We have meetings on the second Tuesday of every month, and the ladies auxiliary gets together on the second Wednesday of every month. The Bryte VFW has a long and very proud history, and we hope to keep on helping veterans in every way we can for a long, long time."

Santa & fire department team up for tours starting Monday

Special to the News-Ledger

Santa Claus will once again hitch a ride on a West Sacramento Fire Department fire truck this year, beginning a tour of the city on Monday.

Santa and his helpers will pass out candy and collect food for the needy (a pickup truck will follow the decorated fire engine to pick up non-perishable food donations). Each night of the tour, Santa will start his travels at 5 p.m. The schedule will be:

- Monday, Dec. 14, covering the area east of Arthur & Holland, north of Sacramento Ave., west of Sixth St., and south of Carrie (in the Broderick area).
- Tuesday, Dec. 15, west of Arthur and Holland, north of Sacramento Ave., east of North Harbor and South of Riverbank (Bryte area).
- Thursday, Dec. 17, west of Jefferson Blvd., north of the deep water channel, south of the Capitol City Freeway, and east of Deerwood (Old West Sacramento area).
- Friday, Dec. 18, south of the Stone Lock Bridge in the deep water channel.

The fire department and firefighters union ask the public to understand that Santa cannot visit every street. His route will not include trailer parks, courts or dead-end streets. For information, call 552-2072. Do not call 9-1-1, as the emergency dispatchers have no information about this event.

Fresno man killed crossing West Sacramento freeway after car breaks down

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

An 84-year old Fresno man was killed last Wednesday after apparently trying to cross the I-80 freeway in West Sacramento. The accident occurred at about 6:45 p.m. on the eastbound section of the freeway about a quarter mile east of Enterprise Blvd.

"It looks as though his vehicle became disabled and he was on the right shoulder," said Officer Colleen Buser of the California Highway Patrol. "He exited the vehicle.

A witness indicated she thought he looked like he was going to cross the freeway, to where there were pay phones and so forth. He made it to the fast lane (of the eastbound portion of the freeway) before he was struck."

Victim Joseph Arcenaux was apparently killed by the first impact from a car in the fast lane, although a half dozen or more different cars are believed to have struck him in the darkness.

Arcenaux was wearing dark clothes, said Officer Busey, and some drivers were not immediately aware they had struck an accident victim.

Buy a tree, support a ballplayer

WALT CHEECHOV and TOM HARRIS staff the West Sacramento Little League's Christmas Tree lot near Blockbuster Video in the Safeway center, West Capitol Ave.

School board news:

District officials attend conference

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

The school board and school superintendent in West Sacramento attended a three-day conference last week in San Diego hosted by the California School Boards Association.

Washington Unified School District board members Irene Eklund, Pat Flint, Dave Farmer and Ardeene Westvik participated in the conference, along with superintendent Dr. Dennis Kelleher and about 3,000 other state school board representatives.

On the conference agenda were such items as technology, class size reduction, collaboration, reading, mathematics, standards, assessment and facilities, reported Kelleher.

"I really enjoyed the opportunity to attend this excellent conference with four of our board members," he was quoted in a district press release. "Based on my conversations with each of the trustees who attended, I believe they all felt this was a valuable and educational experience for us."

New board member Ed Hocking (elected in November) was not seated on the school board until last night and did not participate in the trip.

Kelleher reported that transportation, registration, lodging and per diem costs for the district's participation were about $4,375, plus any incidental expenses which have yet to be billed or paid.

City hall site's soil needs cleanup

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

Toxic soil at the city's new city hall site isn't a surprise and won't slow construction down, said Carol Richardson, West Sacramento's Assistant City Manager.

"We knew early on there was a possibility of contamination there," she said Monday. "Because there was a gas station and a car wash on the site and they were removed long ago, we knew it was a possibility."

Soil testing found petroleum hydrocarbons, which is now being removed "at the property owner's expense."

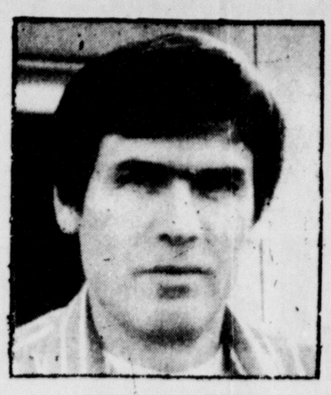
The city performed an almost-even exchange with local developer Frank Ramos for the site at Merkley Ave. and West Capitol Ave., giving him a city-owned site near the east end of West Capitol Ave. in exchange. Any cleanup necessary at the planned city hall site is to be performed by the old owner.

"That was part of the deal," said Richardson, and the deal is being honored.

West Sacramento plans to build the new civic center and city hall next year, replacing current rented offices at 2101 Stone Blvd. and other locations.

People you don't even know can change your life

My Back Pages



By Daryl Fisher

More than a decade ago, my youngest son, Kyle, who was only about 8 months old at the time, started running a pretty high fever. Since he is my fourth child, his mother and I had had plenty of experience with sick kids and after taking his temperature, we did all the normal things parents do. We poured as many fluids into him as we could, gave him a teaspoon or so of infant Tylenol, and put him to bed without too many covers on top of him.

The next morning, his fever hadn't measurably decreased, so we bundled him up and took him to see his pediatrician. After what seemed to be a pretty thorough examination, the doctor told us that Kyle had a virus that was going around and it would just have to run its course. He assured us that Kyle would be as good as new in a couple of days and reminded us to keep giving him fluids and the appropriate dose of Tylenol.

Later than evening, my wife told me we were almost out of Tylenol and that she was going to the store to purchase some more. She deposited Kyle's hot, almost lifeless body into my arms and told me to rock him until she got back. When she returned, not more than 15 minutes later, she took one look at Kyle and with a very worried expression on her face, said, "What in the world is that?"

"What?" I asked her with concern.

"The side of Kyle's face you can't see is real red and beginning to swell up."

Upon closer examination, it was obvious that my wife was right, and we quickly put in a call to Kyle's doctor, who of course was no longer in his office, and we were finally told to take our son to a night clinic where a doctor we didn't know would take a look at him.

With me watching our other three kids, my wife wrapped up Kyle in his Cookie Monster jacket and rushed off with him to the night clinic. To make a very long story short, by a simple twist of incredible fate, Kyle ended up getting examined by the head of Sutter Memorial Hospital's Pediatric Intensive Care Unit, 35-year-old Dr. Robert Moody, who had just happened to drop by the night clinic to see how things were going that evening.

When my wife called to give me an update on Kyle's condition, she said, "Don't be alarmed, Daryl, because all the nurses are telling me the doctor who is taking care of Kyle is the very best pediatric doctor in the whole city, but he's putting Kyle into the hospital and I think you should get down here right away."

I got to the hospital just in time to be the one elected to hold down my terrified 8-month-old son as Dr. Moody put an I.V. into his little arm so massive doses of antibiotics could start making their way into his system. After that awful task had been completed, my wife took me aside and said, "Dr. Moody took one look at Kyle and immediately knew what to do. He said if we had waited even an hour longer, something horrible could have happened. Kyle has a very serious bacterial infection that is rapidly working its way towards his eyes and brain. Dr. Moody thinks he will be okay, but we won't know for sure for a couple of days."

Well, thanks to a young doctor I had never even met before, and whom his friends recently described as "A brilliant leader in his field and a significant player in medicine in this town and state" my son was released from his caged hospital bed three days after he had been placed in it and my wife finally got to stop sleeping in chairs.

Last night, as I thumbed through the Sacramento Bee, I came across an obituary with a photo of a man I vaguely recognized next to it. I began to read: "Robert R. Moody, a former Sacramento physician whose efforts helped develop state regulations mandating trauma units for children, is dead at the age of 47. Dr. Moody ran pediatric intensive care units at Sutter Memorial Hospital and UC Davis Medical Center before he retired four years ago and moved to Hawaii. He was killed Nov. 24 in a fall from a building in Maui."

I reluctantly handed the obituary to my wife, who read it in sad disbelief.

"Daryl," she finally managed to say, repeating the almost exact same words she had said to me that wonderful morning a decade or more earlier when Kyle had finally started acting like his normal self again, "you know, if it hadn't been for Dr. Moody, we may have lost Kyle."

There will be a Sacramento memorial service held for Dr. Robert R. Moody on December 12th. My wife and I, who never saw or talked to him again after we profusely thanked him for bringing our youngest son back from the edge of death, will be there.

Flipping the seasonal switch

HELPING throw the switch on the community Christmas tree (Jefferson Blvd. at West Capitol) Dec. 4 are Jeff Henry, president-elect of the West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce; Santa; Mayor Christopher Cabaldon; Vice Mayor Mark Montemayor; and City Councilman Jim Cahill. (Photo courtesy of the West Sacramento Redevelopment Agency).

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What's new at the library

From Elise McCallan
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The following new titles are currently available for checkout at the library, located at 1212 Merkley Ave.:

The Complete Guide to Greeting Card Design & Illustration, by Eva Szela.

The Best in Tent Camping: Northern California (A Guide for Campers Who Hate RV's, Concrete Slabs, and Loud Portable Stereos), by Bill Mai.

Bodily Harm: The Break-through Healing Program for Self-Injurers, by Karen Conterio and Wendy Lader, Ph.D.

The Lost Work of Stephen King: A Guide to Unpublished Manuscripts, Story Fragments, Alternative Versions, and Oddities, by Stephen J. Spignesi.

Simple Pleasures for the Holidays: A Treasury of Stories and Suggestions for Creating Meaningful Celebrations, by Susannah Seton.

New Books for Kids

Tara Lipinski: Triumph on Ice, as told to Emily Costello.

The True-or-False Book of Cats, by Patricia Lauber.

Arthur Lost and Found, by Marc Brown.

New Audio Books

"N" is for Noose, by Sue Grafton.

Call of the Wild and Other Stories, by Jack London.

The Gift, by Danielle Steel.

The last library event of 1998 will be the Family Holiday Program on Thursday, Dec. 10, at 7 p.m. There will be stories, songs, and skits as well as refreshments. For more information, call 375-6465.

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Obituaries

Frederick Raymond Freitas

Frederick Raymond Freitas, Sr., died in Sacramento on Dec. 5, 1998. He was the husband of the late Georgia Freitas; father of Patricia Ann Vandervort of Oakdale, Calif., Frederick Raymond Freitas, Jr., of Ord Bend, Calif., and Douglas Scott Freitas and James Joseph Freitas, both of West Sacramento. He was also devoted grandfather of 11 and great-grandfather of 14.

A native of Fall River, Mass., he was a 48-year resident of West Sacramento, age 83. At his request, no services will be held. Mr. Freitas was a local entrepeneur for over 30 years, owning and operating a number of businesses.

Local arrangements are under the direction of River Cities Funeral Chapel.

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Charles "Chuck" Glenn

Charles "Chuck" Glenn died Nov. 28, 1998, in Sacramento at the age of 35. He was the son of Lillian Beesley of Waldport, Oregon; brother of Steven Justice and Kathy Arillo, both of Hawaii, Jerry Glenn of Oregon, and Diana Robinson of West Sacramento.

Charles was a painter for 17 years, specializing in building construction, and had made West Sacramento his home for the past year. Private memorial services will be held. Cremation arrangements are under the direction of River Cities Funeral Chapel.

Mary Elizabeth McPhail

Mary Elizabeth McPhail died Nov. 24, 1998, at Mercy American River Hospital.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 46 years, Michael McPhail, on Feb. 25, 1991. Survivers include her daughter, MaryEllen Huffman of Sacramento; son Robert McPhail of Herald; grandsons Michael and Joseph McPhail of Sacramento and Herald, respectively; sisters Ellen Carter of West Sacramento and Margaret Harder of Flossmoor, Ill.

Mary was the eldest daughter born to Robert and Elizabeth Hults of Chicago on Aug. 12, 1911. She was a gentle, charming woman with a rich sense of humor and a great flair for hats, friends remember.

There will be a memorial Mass at Our Lady of Grace Church in West Sacramento, and co-mingling of Mary and Michael's ashes in the spring.

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SPORTS

Raider boys basketball and cheerleaders bring home gold

By Chuck Robinson

River City High School's boys basketball team played in the Argonaut Tournament in Jackson last week and went undefeated. On Wednesday, they beat Livingston 71 to 58. Victor Valdivia led with 31 points, 4 assists, 12 rebounds; Javes Figueroa, 9 points, 6 assists; Zafar Niazi, 9 points, 3 assists; Malcom Floyd, 9 points, 11 rebounds; Radai Mashriqi, 6 points, 4 assists; Alfredo Rodriguez, 4 points, 5 rebounds; Khairuddin Niazi, 2 points; and Malfred Shaw, 1 point.

On Friday, RC beat Highlands 74 to 53. Highlands was very unsportsmanship. They were called on 5 technical fouls and the referee called the game with 1 minute left to play. Valdivia led the team with 22 points, 3 assists, 10 rebounds; Floyd, 20 points, 2 assists, 14 rebounds; Rodriguez, 17 points; Mashriqi, 11 points; Shaw, 2 points; and Sanith Sisavath, 2 points.

Saturday, in the championship game, RC beat Galt 63 to 44. Valdivia led with 27 points, 18 rebounds; Mashriqi, 12 points; Floyd, 10 points, 5 rebounds; Zafar Niazi, 6 points; Figueroa, 3 points; Khairuddin Niazi, 3 points; and Rodriguez, 2 points, 2 assists, 5 rebounds. Radai Mashriqi and Malcom Floyd received all-tournament trophies. Victor Valdivia was tournament M.V.P. RC's cheerleaders took home the first-place cheerleading trophy.

Junior Varsity Wins One, Loses Two

RC's J.V. team didn't fair too well. They lost to Livingston in a well-played game, 61 to 48. Cliff Hughes led with 16 points, 13 rebounds; Ron Mumini, 10 points, 9 rebounds; Shams Maazouddin, 13 points, 4 assists; Robert Washington, 4 points; Roy Butz, 3 points; and Oleg Bugeryiv, 2 points.

Friday against Amador, the J.V. team fell flat. RC was a much better team but nothing worked for them. Everything went wrong and they lost 37 to 29. Maazouddin led with 10 points, 4 assists; Hughes, 6 points, 8 rebounds; Mumini, 5 points; Washington, 4 points; and Butz, 4 points, 11 rebounds.

Saturday, after a good talk from head coach Jamie King, the J.V.s came to life and beat Winters 50 to 35. Maazouddin led with 13 points, 5 assists; Washington, 11 points; Hughes, 9 points, 7 rebounds; Butz, 8 points, 13 rebounds; Yasser Salman, 5 points; Mumini, 2 points, 5 rebounds; and Bugeryiv, 2 points, 4 rebounds. RC's Shams Maazouddin received an all-tournament trophy.

Tuesday, RC plays at Rio Linda. Thursday, RC will travel to Capital Christian and on Monday, Dec. 14, the Raiders will play at Folsom. Game times are 6 and 7:30 p.m. On December 16, 17 and 18, RC will play in a tournament in Folsom.

The Sports Insider

By Richard Novoa

The Oakland Raiders (7-6) suffered their third straight loss before a season high 61,254 fans at the Coliseum. It was an ugly game in which QB Donald Hollas threw six interceptions and was sacked eight times by the blitz-happy Dolphins. The race to the wild card spot is going to come down to the last week of the season for the Raiders. The Raiders travel next Sunday (10 a.m., Ch. 13) to Buffalo (8-5), where the weather is expected to drop below 30 degrees.

Three weeks remain in the NFL regular season and the Raiders now trail Miami, New England and Buffalo, who are all 8-5, for the wild card spots.

The 49ers (10-3), had to go into overtime to win their game 31-28 against the (2-11) Carolina Panthers. The 49ers, who were leading the game 27-7, did manage to clinch their seventh straight playoff berth. If their defense continues to play like they did in the second half of the Panthers game, the season will be over in the first round of the playoffs!

I hope the Niners practice their tackling this week, because they host Barry Sanders and the Detroit Lions next Monday night.

Last week, I lost one pick with Arizona, but I had two winners in Miami and Tampa Bay on Monday night, bringing my season total to 23 wins, 15 losses and one tie. In week 15, I like Buffalo (-7) over Oakland and the Saints (+6) against the Falcons, and on Monday night, take the 49ers (-10) over the Lions.

How about those poor NBA basketball players! They want to play an exhibition game on Dec. 19 in Atlantic City to raise funds for the union's lower-paid members! Are they talking about the low end players who earn the $275,000 per season? Players have already missed two paychecks because of the lockout, totalling more than $330 million in salary. If the season is cancelled, players' losses would climb to more than $1 BILLION. Maybe they should look for a real job!

The River City Rumble is set to go again on Friday, Dec. 18, at the CSUS men's basketball gym. After a last-minute change in the boxing venue and a switch of the main event, the boxing show survived the early knock downs and will be televised live on ESPN2 starting at 5 p.m.

The main event was changed when Willie Jorrin pulled out of the bout with a cut over his eye. Jorrin, who was to receive his biggest pay day ($13,500), was injured in training. Willie's bad luck turned into good fortune for Sacramento's Diego "Chico" Corrales. Boxing fans will be treated to a great fight card on Dec. 18, when International Boxing Federation's 8th ranked Corrales (25-0, 21 KOs) fights the IBF's 9th ranked Gary St. Clair (15-0, 8 KOs) in an IBF sanctioned 12-round championship elimination bout. The winner of these two undefeated 130 pounders is promised an IBF title fight early next year.

Also, a great 10-round (147 lb.) bout will pit Mexico's 1992 Olympic champion Umberto "Gitano" Rodriquez (29-7, 24 KOs) against undefeated Raul Franco (13-0, 7 KOs) from Los Angeles. Promoter Don Chargin has scheduled four other bouts that will pack the house at the CSUS gym. Tickets are priced at $22 and $42 and are on sale in West Sacramento at Pro-Venture Travel, 1420 Merkley Ave. (372-9294) or by calling me at 372-7332.

See ya next week!

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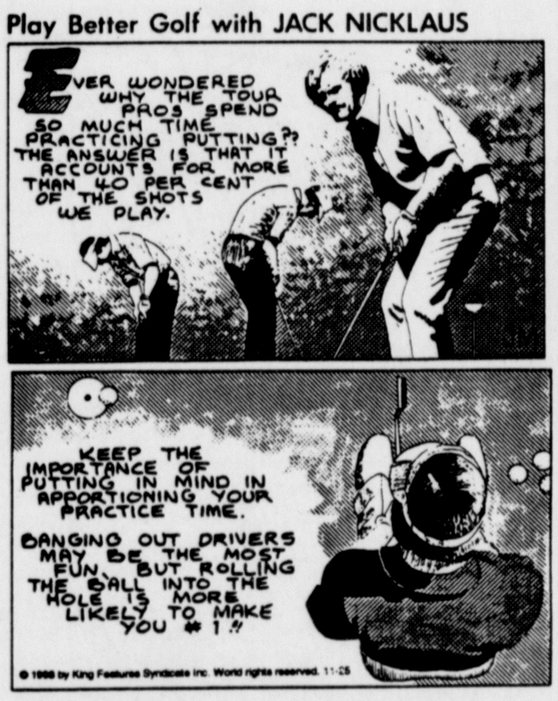
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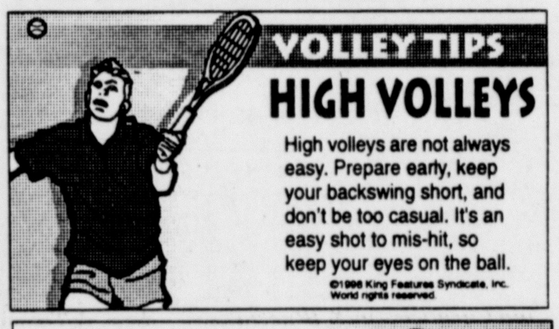
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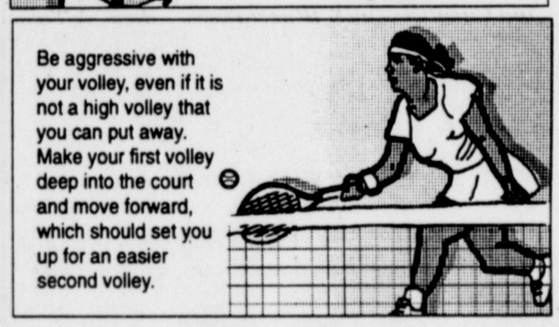
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Sports Quiz by Aaron E. Tucker

1. What team won its first of many Super Bowls in 1975?
2. What 43-year-old became the oldest major league player to pitch a no-hitter in 1990?
3. What team lost the World Series to the Yankees in 1941, 1947, 1949, 1952 and 1953?
4. What base was stolen by Babe Ruth 10 times?
5. Who fought Rocky Marciano in a computer-simulated boxing match aired in 1500 locations around the world in 1970?
6. What tennis player won the most Wimbledon singles titles during the 1980s?
7. What 17-year-old jockey got $10 for his first winning mount on April 20, 1949?
8. Who became the second golfer in history to lose playoffs at all four Majors?
9. To what state did the New York Giants football team move in 1976?
10. What sport has Hollywood made the most movies about?
11. For what three National League teams did Pete Rose play?
12. What team won its first World Series in 1923?
13. Who was the first diver to score over 700 points in an 11-dive springboard event?
14. What's the largest Division One college football stadium in the U.S.?
15. What coach gave mink stoles to players' wives after his first NFL title in 1961?
16. What Big Ten team plays its home football games in Beaver Stadium?
17. What did football's Portsmouth Spartans become when they moved to Michigan in 1934?
18. What 7'6" basketball player did NBA players begin looking up to in 1985?
19. What basketball player is sometimes referred to as "His Airness"?
20. Who won the first women's marathon contest during Olympic competition?
21. What is the width of a hockey puck?
22. Who made their first appearance at the 1912 Olympics?
23. Who was nicknamed the "Galloping Ghost"?
24. What soccer star played his last game for Brazil's national team on July 18, 1971?
25. Who was the first modern athlete picked to play in pro football and baseball All-Star games?

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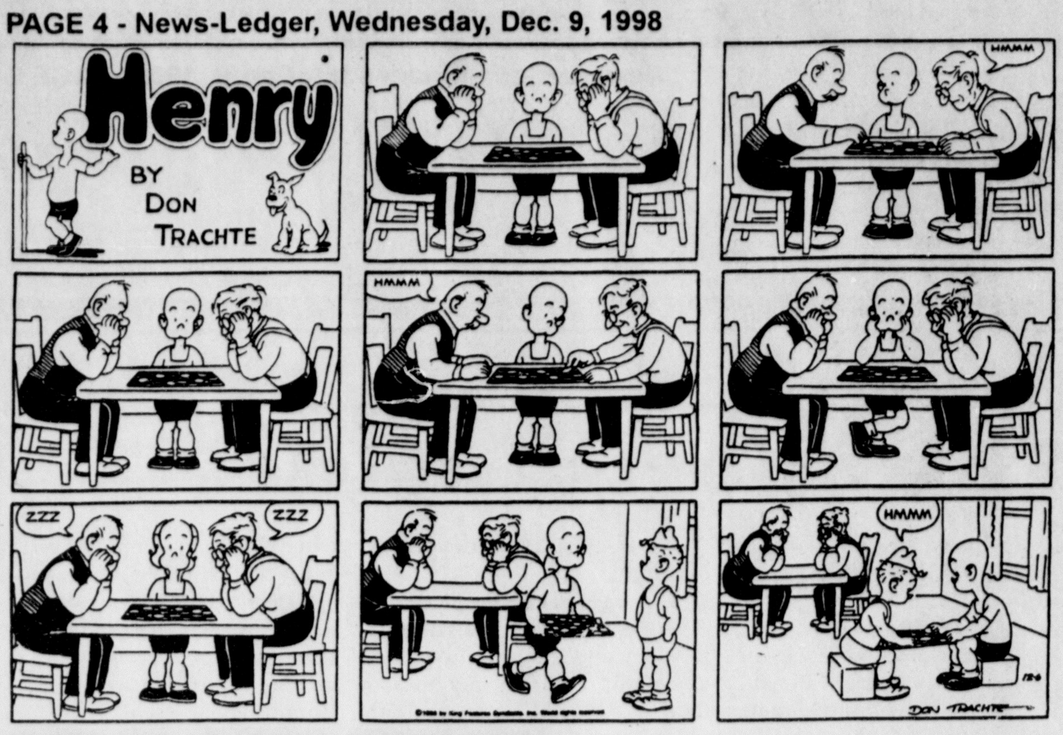

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BRINGING UP FATHER
by FRANK JOHNSON
IS EVERYONE READY FOR TODAY'S TEST?
NO!
I HATE TESTS!
DIMPLES, SUPPOSE WE START OUR TESTING WITH YOU!
SUPPOSE WE DON'T
YES, TEACHER!
DO YOU KNOW LINCOLN'S GETTYSBURG ADDRESS?
NO, MA'AM. BUT IN WASHINGTON HE LIVED IN THE WHITE HOUSE
HA HA HA
WHAT CAN YOU TELL US ABOUT PLYMOUTH ROCK?
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IF YOU HAD FIVE CANDY BARS AND GAVE FOUR TO YOUR FRIENDS, WHAT WOULD YOU HAVE THEN?
BRAIN DAMAGE!
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WHAT HAPPENED IN SCHOOL TODAY?
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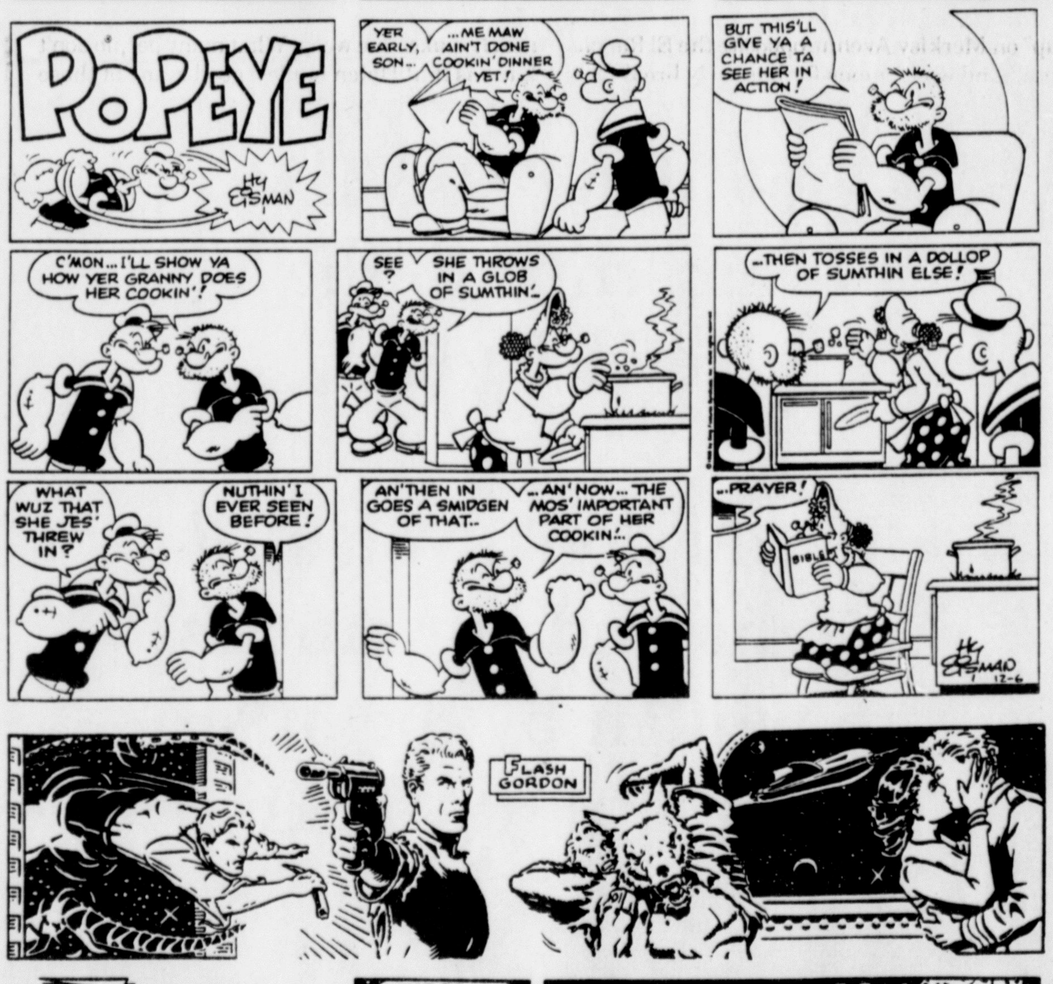
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HI-YA SAILOR MAN
YER EARLY, SON...
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NUTHIN' I EVER SEEN BEFORE!
AN' THEN IN GOES A SMIDGEN OF THAT..
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...PRAYER!
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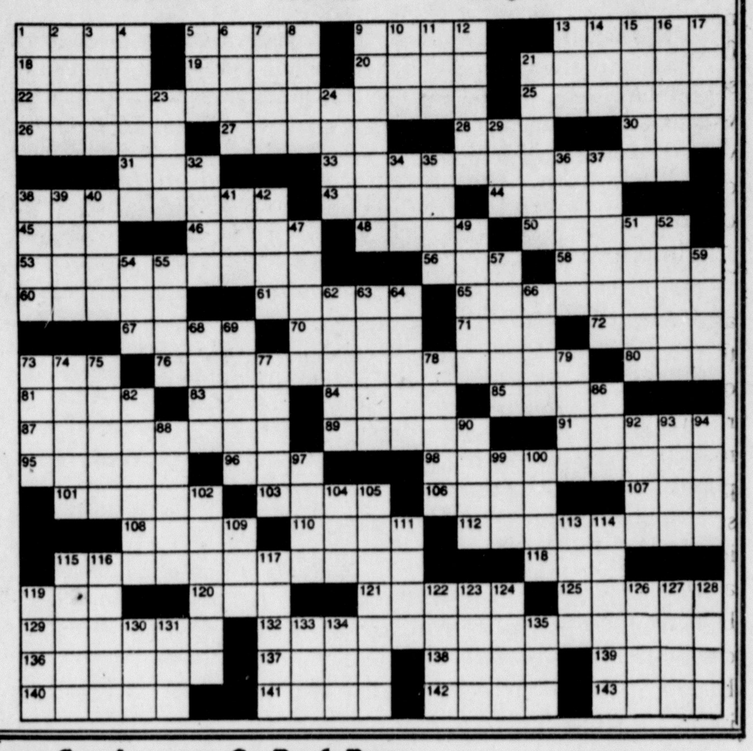

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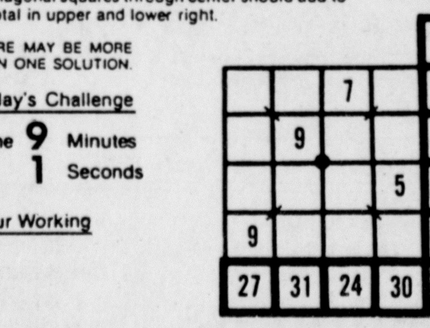

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OUT ON A LIMB by GARY KOPERVAS

THE SPATS by JEFF PICKERING

HEY HONEY, I FOUND A GLOW IN THE DARK PINK FLAMINGO HAT OUT IN THE DUMPSTER!!!
I GUESS ONE MANS JUNK IS ANOTHER MANS TREASURE.
I GUESS ONE WOMANS HUSBAND IS THE SAME WOMANS WEIRDO.

OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial

A way to improve public input

Several years ago, a different administration at the Washington Unified School District moved the meetings of the local school board from Thursdays to Tuesdays. Whatever the reason they did this, one of the effects of this change was to limit the public's opportunity to be involved with the board's actions through the local press. (A cynic might suggest that this was one of the reasons they did this.)

Timing was the crux of the issue.

State law requires government bodies such as a school board or city council to announce their agendas 72 hours before a meeting. Previously, this meant that the News-Ledger could receive a copy of the agenda for a Thursday meeting well in time to publish it in Wednesday's paper, thereby notifying casual followers of the school board if any unusual issues or matters of interest to them would be up for discussion. But after board meetings switched to Tuesdays, this became impossible. The board releases its agendas on the prior Friday, and by the time the News-Ledger prints the next Wednesday, the agenda items are already history. The decisions are already made.

Anyone who wants to keep an eye on the school board, then, cannot depend on the local paper for information -- he or she must drive down to the district office or library to check the agendas. That's hardly a thing most community members can be expected to do on a regular basis.

And if the News-Ledger (or a member of the public) does spot an item on the agenda which deserves the public's attention, by the time the next newspaper publication date rolls around, the board has already met, discussed and decided on the issue. A newspaper article or letter to the editor is too late to affect public interest or participation in the board's business.

Likewise, a Tuesday night meeting falls on production night for the News-Ledger, and the reality of a small paper is that it is difficult to spare someone at such a time to cover a school board meeting -- so again, the board escapes some amount of scrutiny.

The same problem does not exist with the West Sacramento City Council, which meets on Wednesdays. Agendas are received on the previous Friday (like the school board agendas), but publication in Wednesday's paper gives the public some notice of the contents of the council's Wednesday evening meeting.

Why doesn't the newspaper simply change its publication day to suit coverage of the school board?

Three reasons. One is that for market reasons, the News-Ledger (like many local, weekly papers) has found that this day is the best one for newspaper publication, and has stuck with Wednesdays for 34 years. A second reason is that a newspaper does its patrons a disservice by changing its publication dates to follow the whims of a local government agency, and could end up following such an agency all over the calendar (to the confusion of readers and advertisers) if that agency frequently alters its meeting schedules. Thirdly, changing publication dates to suit the schedule of one body of government could end up harming a paper's ability to cover another body of government. So changing a publication date is not just a sloppy solution, but it may not even be a "solution" at all.

But by considering moving its meetings back to Thursdays, the newly-seated WUSD school board could allow its business to reach more members of the public before it meets. This would help move the "people's business" the board conducts back into the light. The change would probably fit well with the board's use of the city council chambers for televised meetings (the city planning commission uses the chambers for televised meetings on the first and second Thursdays of the month; the school board could meet on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month). Any other city/school board schedule conflicts could probably be worked out.

Unless there is a very good reason to keep the meetings on Tuesdays, the new board should take the healthy step of moving them back to Thursdays. Doing so would help encourage responsibility, communication and trust. As the board considers asking the public for a new school bond, it simply cannot bank enough of these three things.

As a lesser-quality alternative, the board could at least publish its agendas on the internet (even as a page on the city's web site), so that computer-literate members of the public could still reference the board's coming activities at home.

Letters to the Editor

'Right to Die' question

I just finished reading Betty Rollin's guest commentary on the need for "Right to Die" legislation. Unfortunately, her thesis has not evolved in the 15 years since her first book on the subject. Her argument retains the same basis flaws -- it is written from a narrow secular middle class viewpoint that offers an overly simplistic solution to a very complicated problem.

As a long term care Ombudsman, I met many brave people experiencing terminal illness and approaching death. Like Ms. Rollin, I've had the heartbreaking experience of watching my precious Mother (and four other close relatives) die from cancer. Other than my Mother-in-law, none of these suffering souls received adequate palliative care.

My Mother-in-law was the exception because she had the same cancer specialist as my Mother (who died a year earlier). I was determined she would get the pain relief my mother was denied. I stalked the Doctor night and day, even to the point of waiting in the parking lot by his car when he dodged me in his office. Ms. Rollin would probably interpret my experience as confirmation of her argument that people without family (to run interference) would benefit the most from a "Right to Die" law.

In reality, my observation of frail and isolated patients living in substandard nursing homes convinces me of just the opposite. Unless the law was carefully written with iron clad safeguards -- a certain percentage of patients would be legally murdered. Believe me, there is enough of that going on right now. Many a patient who signs a form requesting "no heroic life support" doesn't realize it could mean withholding simple (but lifesaving) antibiotics, or food and water. Yet this happens daily.

The bottom line of both private and government health insurance is cost containment. Sixty million Americans have no health insurance at all. If a loosely worded law allows them an option -- some providers would hop-scotch over the need for expensive treatments, palliative care, and pain relief and go straight for euthanasia. This would be a special danger for patients with diminished mental capacity.

Many oppose such a law because of the dreaded "slippery slope"; it is a legitimate concern. Using Sweden as a model, assisted suicide laws have evolved (or disintegrated) to the state of allowing a scary practice labeled "involuntary euthanasia" (talk about a contradiction of terms). Some elderly are actually afraid to go to the doctor and have turned to an underground of alternative medicine.

It wasn't until I attended a cross-cultural seminar on "Death and Dying" at the University of Hawaii that I discovered Europeans have been light years ahead of us in assisting patients to die with dignity. They not only have a spiritual approach to hospice care but a mixture of drugs and painkillers called "The Recipe." It allows people to remain comfortable and lucid until the end. Despite recent progress, we still have a dismal record of providing compassionate final care to all levels of society.

When it comes to suicide -- suffering is the operative word. What we really need is a "Right to Pain Relief" law. Let's focus our attention on legislation that guarantees every citizen the best palliative care and trust God to choose the perfect moment to call us home.

HOPE HERR
West Sacramento

Tobacco-gate

All of this "investigating the President" phony baloney should be re-entitled as tobacco-gate!

Tobacco industry leaders knew they were losing the battle to have tobacco classified as an addictive drug and somehow they managed to get tobacco's $1,000,000.00/year legal rep Kenneth Starr as the "independent counsel" of the grand jury to "investigate the President" for his naughty out-of-wedlock sexual activities with a consenting young lady. What was none of the public's business has been turned into a Republican impeachment attempt, charging Bill Clinton with "lying under oath," "perjury," etc. for that naughty sex and should have cost the public virtually nothing.

But no, Big Tobacco felt their best defense was to bring down President Clinton, by whatever means.

And those who cry out how much Clinton has cost taxpayers should compare: how much has big tobacco cost taxpayers since the mid-60s (when they first knew that smoking tobacco causes cancer)? How many person-years have been lost to tobacco consumption, including second-hand smoke? And how many billions of taxpayers' dollars has tobacco cost us in medical expenses, not to mention the suffering?

We cannot forget the outright lies by tobacco executives when they told Congress, "(consumption of) Tobacco does not cause cancer." When tobacco executives admitted their lies before Congress, how were they penalized? Virtually no penalties for tobacco executives for lying to Congress!

Independent counsel Judge Ken Starr's investigation -- from when he changed from tobacco's million dollar a year rep -- seems to have included leaking information to the media not just here and there, but when before have we heard of dumping so much (alleged) info to the public before any judge ruled same to be admissible? Premature, huh? The sequence of events involving Paula Jones, Lucianne Goldberg, Linda Tripp and Monica Lewinsky makes one wonder, including the several hours Ms. Lewinsky and her mom were questioned by Starr aides and the 18 hours Linda Tripp secretly recorded Ms. Lewinsky without legal counsel present! (Sounds like a setup.)

Good ol' Congressman Henry Hyde heading the impeachment committee...he broke up a family several years ago with his out-of-wedlock sex. Ironic for "Mr. Hyde and seek (impeachment)," huh? Or ol' "flirtin' Congressman Dan Burton, who had a child out of wedlock about 17 years ago. But when they felt the heat, they admitted their sins, somewhat saving face.

We should have a "time/vertical bar chart" showing the sequence of events, including costs and time consumed by "Monica-gate" and "Tobacco-gate." Note that Big Tobacco is settling with the states, simply raising prices and changing their advertising rather dramatically. And it's okay for Big Tobacco executives to lie to Congress about tobacco's adverse health effects and high costs, but it's not right for Bill Clinton to fib about his private sex life, eh? Pity our future presidents, too.

Finally, how about a peach-flavored breath mint...we could call it "M-M-M! (delicious!) peach mint!"

WILLIAM A. LOWELL
West Sacramento

From the Owner/Publisher:

Remembering Helen Ericson

The recent passing of Helen Ericson, long time business owner and beloved member of the community, brings to mind her unique position in the formation of both business interests, particularly Merkley Avenue merchants, and her many acts of kindness to the youth of West Sacramento.

For many years, Helen operated the "Coffee Cup" on Merkley Avenue opposite the El Rancho Hotel, and was famous for her early breakfasts when West Capitol Avenue was Highway 40, the main road between San Francisco and Reno. She served many cross-country travellers as well as providing breakfasts and a meeting place for almost the entire (small, then) business community of West Sacramento. She was famous for a quick bowl of oatmeal or any way, shape or kind of eggs or combination thereof, quick as a wink, always with a smile, and endless coffee. On cold, foggy mornings she'd put on a big pot of lima beans with ham to be ready for lunch and dinner, and people would literally line up for that treat.

Every Thursday -- and it was EVERY Thursday -- it was Corned Beef and Cabbage with boiled potatoes, and again, a treat looked forward to by one and all. Good old American cooking, but done "just right" and a wonderful memory.

Most likely younger people will remember Helen's famous hamburgers. One by one, each one grilled just right, put together just as it should be, served hot, with a nice fresh slice of sweet onion, a real mouthful, and the memory of those handmade burgers compared to the manufactured plastic things available today nearly makes one weep. What many people don't know is that Helen made a good many of those great burgers for almost all the young kids who were in sports in the area, along with Cokes, and it was "her treat" because she loved the kids, her own included, but no one was overlooked.

Helen's benefaction was quiet and efficient. Many times, in her modest place, she fed people she knew couldn't pay. They were treated the same as anyone else and never went away empty-handed. She was always surprised when anyone came back later and actually offered to pay or thank her in some way.

Helen Ericson exemplified the very best citizenship in our community and all of us can share, along with her family, in the pride of knowing this loving, caring and fondly remembered woman.

MICHAEL P. GARTEN
News-Ledger Publisher

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PAGE FROM THE PAST

WASHINGTON NEWS ITEMS

The Sacramento River registered six feet nine inches, United States gauge at the Southern Pacific bridge yesterday.

John Johnson, caretaker at the West Sacramento headquarters, was a visitor in Escalon during the past week. He was accompanied by his family, and the trip was made in the family automobile.

The promised arrival of Thomas McAnulty at West Sacramento headquarters did not materialize during the last week as published in the last issue of the Independent, but it is likely he may arrive any day to make permanent headquarters in Westgate. Many residents of the district are looking for Mr. McAnulty because of the great promises that have been made following his arrival. It may mean a revival of the good times that were going on in West Sacramento a few years ago when the district was promoted under the guidance of H. W. Furlong.

The north wind of the past two days succeeded in robbing McNally and Partridge of a good deal of their trade in mushrooms. Regular pickers went out as usual to gather the fungus but the north wind had done the damage before their arrival and until another rain there will be little showing in the district. McNally and Partridge also report that the traveling public has not let up for a minute during the past winter for every night their camp is crowded and even people are being turned away because they have not sufficient accommodations. Tourists arriving from the north declare that the weather has forced them south sooner than they anticipated because of its severity. Those tourists also report that labor conditions in the states of Oregon, Washington and Montana are bad, with a great number of men out of employment and a great number waiting for the opening of the spring season to return to Alaska.

John Allerton and L. Borghesi have just returned from an automobile trip that extended as far as Santa Cruz, Monterey, Castorville and other points along the seacoast. They report the weather to be exceedingly good and roads in fine condition.

Salvador Ortez was married in Sacramento last Monday by Justice of the Peace Frank O'Brien to a young lady of the Capital City whose name has not been exactly ascertained by the Independent but believed to be Long. Salvador has just passed his twenty-third year and is an industrious young man with big hopes for the future. He was born in Washington of respected parents and although he did not exactly receive their consent for his marriage they are now wishing him all kinds of good luck in this major event of his young life.

Mike Judge, watchman on the Southern Pacific bridge for several years past, has been laid up during the past three weeks suffering from a very severe cold, bordering on pneumonia. Yesterday he was able to return to his work greatly improved but still somewhat weak after his experience.

Two Chinese were arrested last Saturday following a raid of the previous night on the Chinese places near the M street bridge. On Friday night three Chinamen were taken up by detectives from the district attorney's office and two on Saturday. They have been accused of gambling, although evidence taken at the time of the raid was believed to be insufficient to secure a conviction. It is possible they may plead guilty when brought to trial in the Woodland justice court and be fined as usual to help out the treasury of Yolo County.

Yesterday, Thursday, January 8, Constable Tug Wilson made his first arrest among the Chinese places near the M street bridge. Accompanied by State Narcotic Enforcement Officer Roy Jones and Deputy Sheriff Ogle of Sacramento County, they entered the building south of the Sacramento Northern Railroad tracks and directly west of the end of the M street bridge. A Chinese in the place was using dice or dominoes and playing with another Chinese in the room. No money was passed between the two, but nevertheless Constable Wilson took up the offender before Judge Barry. He gave his name as Fong Gee and pleaded guilty of gambling, after which Judge Barry fined him $100 to help out the treasury of Yolo County.

Warren Silverlock has once more been placed in charge of the Elkhorn ferry, relieving Joe Firman, who has been in charge of the ferry during the past three or four months. Charles White is the other attendant on the Elkhorn ferry.

Maybe not the meanest thief, but one near that classification, is the man who last night stole a mattress from the bed rented by J. J. McNally at Canteen Auto Camp in Yolo County. McNally's rest was disturbed to such extent that he reported the theft to the Sacramento police this morning.

Vera Bucto, aged 3, of Bryte, was at the Sutter Hospital in Sacramento on Sunday recovering from serious injuries to her left eye, received late Saturday, when a firecracker with which she was playing exploded, according to police reports. The girl was rushed to the city emergency hospital, where the sight of the eye was saved by an operation performed by Dr. E. O. Brown. She was then taken to the Sutter Hospital.

Ralph Montgomery was brought to the Yolo County jail Saturday night, on a warrant issued last September. He is charged with bootlegging. Sheriff J. W. Monroe located Montgomery at Washington. The defendant had skipped out during a raid last summer, according to the sheriff.

Mrs. Bernie Robbins Tuesday entertained a number of friends including members of the R. B. C. Sewing Club at a party at her home. Games and music furnished entertainment and the hostess served refreshments. Trose present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. William Olsen, Mr. and Mrs. James Sanders, Miss Ruby Timberg, Miss Frances Timberg, Mrs. Selma Forett, Miss Christine Pearson, Miss Mildred Miller, Miss Alice Eagen, Miss Sylvadia McDonald, Miss Ruth Peterson, Claus Swanson, I. Torkelson, Al. Peterson and J. Albert Olsen.

Mrs. J. H. Bryant was in Woodland Wednesday on a business trip.

After spending Wednesday in San Francisco on business, Mrs. H. M. Eugene returned home.

Mrs. Thomas Porta went to Woodland Wednesday on business.

Mrs. A. A. Dassonville and daughter, Helen, left Tuesday for Tres Pinos to spend a short while visiting Mrs. Hilma Joseph.

Robert Beale and Ed Moss have returned home after a week-end visit in San Francisco and Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Eugene have returned after spending a short while visiting friends in San Francisco.

The Washington grammar school reopened Monday following a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. William Hughes has returned from Berkeley, where she spent a few days.

After spending two weeks in Oakland on a pleasure trip, Mrs. Herman Garber and Miss Bernice Butters have returned.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Arey left for their Oakland home Monday after a week-end visit here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Brash and daughter, who have been spending a few days in Washington, left Monday for Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. White, Jr., entertained friends and relatives on Wednesday night at a New Year's Eve party at their home. The evening was spent with music and games with a supper afterwards. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. F. L. White, Sr., Miss Essie White, Norman and Wallace White, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Cameron and Miss Clare Conrad of Washington; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jasper of Wheatland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dassonville were entertained on New Year's Eve at a party given in Routiers by Mrs. Rose Griffith.

Mrs. Byron Williams, who has been confined to the Sutter Hospital by illness, has been removed to her home.

William Ponci and family have removed to Winters to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Brash and daughter, Margaret, of Oakland, are visiting friends and relatives in Washington.

Sheriff J. W. Monroe of Woodland was a visitor here New Year's Eve.

CHRIS KRAUTT DIED AT WOODLAND HOSPITAL THURSDAY

After two years of confinement in a Woodland hospital suffering with the infirmities of old age, Chris Krautt died yesterday, Thursday, January 8, 1925.

During several years the old gentleman had been suffering with a badly injured hip and heel and in addition to that was afflicted with rheumatism.

Krautt had been a resident of Washington about thirty years, where he pursued the vocation of teamster to earn a living, but a few years ago was forced to retire when the auto trucks invaded the fields of work for the teamster.

Krautt was a very industrious man of very quiet demeanor and very unassumed habits. All he desired was to be permitted to pursue the even tenor of his way and when he had gone through a hard day's work in the effort to earn a living all he asked was that he be permitted to have his glass of beer in peace and quietness.

Krautt was an inveterate smoker, always using a pipe and seldom or never using a cigar. His habits in this particular were so well known to the boys around Washington that when he was forced to give up actual labor they saw to it that he always had on hand a plentiful supply of tobacco.

So far as is known in this locality he had no relatives in California, but he had been heard to speak of a sister who is a resident of Colorado or Illinois, but who has never, so far as is known, been in communication with him.

He was a native of Holstein, Germany, but came to the United States at the age of 23 years.

He leaves a small estate, sufficient, it is believed, to give him a decent burial. This consists of money in a Sacramento bank which was placed by Krautt several years ago under the control and handling of August Brietzke purposely for this emergency.

In communication with Brietzke last night, the Independent ascertained that arrangements for his funeral would be made this afternoon by Brietzke in Woodland and that the burial will take place at the county seat.

Otherwise, it is believed that he leaves no other estate.

There are 174,947 one-teacher schools in the United States with 3,500,000 children attending these schools.

CONSTABLE WILSON IS IN CHARGE OF PEACE AFFAIRS NOW

Frank Wilson, familiarly known as "Tug" Wilson among the younger men around Washington and Sacramento, assumed the position of constable in Washington township last Tuesday morning following his nomination by Supervisor Buckingham to the position and his confirmation in the position by the unanimous vote of the members of the board of supervisors of Yolo County.

Wilson was born in Washington. During thirty years he has been a permanent resident in the community. He comes from a good family and his parents are still residents of the town.

Speaking to the Independent yesterday, Constable Wilson said:

"I fully appreciate the honor conferred on me by Supervisor Buckingham, and in responding to the demands made upon me will make every effort to show my appreciation.

"I anticipate no trouble in filling the position of constable, for I believe that I have the confidence and support of all the young men around town, and with the guidance of Supervisor Buckingham I hope to be able to make good insofar as the duties of my office are concerned.

"I have no intention to eat raw meat and bark at everybody that comes around me, but I am certainly not of the impression that the exuberant spirits of youth must be killed with a bludgeon of puritanism or reform.

"I acknowledge that human nature has frailties and that the laws of the United States gives the accused person the benefit of the doubt when placed on trial for crime or infractions of the law.

"I see no reason to force the people of the United States into hypocrisy and double-dealing, but in the matter of enforcing the laws of the land I cannot and I will not hesitate to do my duty at any time and at all times.

"I honestly believe that many people are made criminals by imputation, and I believe that many people are forced into crime in the effort to make them toe the mark of obedience.

"I believe that men and women were endowed by God with a free will and so long as they exercise that free will without breaking any of the man-made laws laid down for our regulation the people should be privileged to exercise that free will without limit.

"With this spirit I have entered the position of constable for Washington township. I invite the people to advise me of their grievances. Insofar as it lays in my power I shall be willing to respond, but I do hope that the people will not expect so much from me in this territory that it would rob me of the opportunity of making a living. The office I fill pays but a small salary, not enough to support a family and, therefore, it is incumbent on me to find other work with which I must earn a living, but I am going to try to find that work within the town so that I may be present or nearby when a call comes for my services."

Wilson is an ex-service man. He is of quiet disposition but determined. His temper is of such nature that he is not easily provoked, but God help the reckless offender who runs across him to annoy him or to worry him.

Wilson is a giant in size and weight and on many occasions before now has given good account of himself when called on to assert himself or to defend himself.

GREZORK OUT OF YOLO HOSPITAL

H. T. Grezork, young Russian, who alleged that he was robbed of $250 in a Bryte rooming house about a month ago and was then kicked into insensibility by seven men, recovered sufficiently to leave the Yolo County Hospital in Woodland yesterday.

Grezork is to confer with Constable Henry Buckingham of Washington in an effort to get a trace of his assailants.

He said yesterday that after he was beaten he jumped through a window while the thugs were in another room plotting to throw his body into the Sacramento River.

HUNTING SEASON WILL CONCLUDE ON THE 15TH

Hunters of ducks, geese, quail and cottontails have but to the fifteenth of January to complete their hunting for the present season. This gives the nimrods but seven days more of shooting.

Cold weather has been the chief complaint of the duck hunters during the last few days. The sportsmen have been forced to break the ice covered surface of the marshes and rice fields and some have experienced cases of near freezing. Shooting has improved a little over what it was some time ago, but most of the nimrods report it to be just fair.

AUTO CAMPS ADD TO POPULATION

Six families moved into the West Sacramento Auto Camp since January 1 and in every family of the six there are several children.

Some of these travelers have purposely moved to this section of Yolo County to give their children the opportunity of attending the Washington public school. Some parents have made no bones about telling their reasons for moving to this district

BUCKINGHAM IN POSITION OF SUPERVISOR SINCE LAST MONDAY

Presenting his credentials at the meeting of the board of supervisors in Woodland last Monday, Henry B. Buckingham was inducted into office after taking the oath administered by County Clerk Saunders and Superior Judge W. A. Anderson.

At the election last November 4, Buckingham was returned to the position of supervisor of the first district of Yolo County by a great majority. After defeating three opponents, he was subjected to another campaign by a write-in candidate but won out without difficulty.

Buckingham is a native of this section of Yolo County. He is thoroughly acquainted with the needs of the district. He knows the necessity of reclamation and he knows the value of the great acreage that is now being protected by levees along the Sacramento River and by levees along the eastern edge of the Yolo basin.

Buckingham is fully aware that the great need of this district is better roads for the farmers so that they may more easily convey their products to the market and so that they may enjoy the privileges of civilization in their farm home life.

It was the knowledge with which he is possessed that prompted the people of the district to return him to office so that they in turn might be benefitted by his experience, his knowledge and his ability as a financier.

Blessed with a very fair disposition and blessed with a knowledge of the needs of the district, the people, all of them, can rely on a fair distribution of the funds of the county to help the locality in which he presides as supervisor.

During the past few years the wealth of the first district of Yolo County has grown enormously. The West Sacramento district has greatly advanced in valuation and in returns from farming products.

The Holland district has made such strides in advancement that a proportionate expenditure of the funds of the county in that district must add considerable to the work of the supervisor.

Combining the two sections—the West Sacramento district and the Holland district—with the district north of Washington and extending as far as Elkhorn, there is an inland empire over which any man might be proud to serve as supervisor.

And the Independent feels that Henry Buckingham will respond to the demands of the occasion doing justice, not only to the center of population in Washington, but even to the people living in the most extreme section of the first district of Yolo County.

ESTATE OF HENRY LEINBERGER IS UNDER PROBATE

Woodland, Jan. 5.—Excepting to recite that the estate exceeds $10,000 in value, the petition for probate of the will of the late Henry Leinberger, retired wholesale butcher, who died at the age of 94 years, does not specify the worth of the real and personal property to be inherited by his daughter, Mrs. Louisa Smith, and his sons, Henry Leinberger, Jr., and Charles Leinberger.

Charles Leinberger filed a petition late Saturday to be named administrator. Attorney H. L. Huston will represent the petitioner.

The venerable Washington man left a will bearing the date May 15, 1924.

The real property includes two lots at Washington of the approximate value of $5,000, and a one-half interest in an entire block in the same township of the value of $6,000.

The personal property includes stocks worth $5,000.

Leinberger died December 26. He was the father of the late Supervisor William Leinberger.

BOARD NAMES VIEWERS TO SEE NEW ROAD

Woodland, Jan. 6.—One of Supervisor W. E. M. Beardslee's last official acts before retiring in favor of Henry Buckingham, his conqueror at the polls, yesterday was to have the board appoint viewers for a new road to the first district. Names to look over the proposed road are A. G. Proctor, John Smith, Jr., and J. W. Coons.

HIGHWAY COMMISSION MEETING TO BE HELD ON JANUARY 14TH

The Washington Boosters' Club at its meeting last Tuesday evening in the town hall went over, once more, the details of the meeting to be held January 14 before the state highway commissioners concerning the construction of a stretch of highway through the town of Washington.

The Boosters' Club is extremely anxious that the decision of the highway commission engineers to route the roadway to the M street bridge instead of the Southern Pacific bridge should be changed so that the taxpayers of the town of Washington may be given the benefit of the state highway through the town.

In previous issues of this paper it was explained that the highway commission has granted this hearing in order that the people, the taxpayers, may have the opportunity of explaining their stand in the matter.

Secretary Frank Mixon of the highway commission, an old resident of Yolo County, made the arrangements for the hearing to be held next Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 p. m. It was impressed on him that the people of the town of Washington would not be satisfied unless given the opportunity to voice their feelings.

He consented and arranged with the commissioners that the people of Washington should be heard next Wednesday afternoon.

The hearing will take place on the fifth floor of the Forum Building in Sacramento.

The Boosters' Club has arranged that it will be represented at that meeting by Joesph Pereira.

Other taxpayers of the community are also to be present, among them being the business men so deeply interested in securing the road in its passage through the town.

Ex-supervisor Ed. Palm has expressed himself as being willing to make a talk before the members of the highway commission. Supervisor Henry Buckingham will also be present unless some unforseen accident may prevent him.

Others who have signified a willingness to appear are George Beale, Ed, Moss and M. Doyle.

Secretary Mixon is extremely anxious that the selfish motive of personal aggrandizement may be subdued during the hearing. He is also anxious that there be no disturbance but that the arguments made by the property owners be advanced logically, sincerely and as reasonably as possible. He says that more can be secured in this way than any vain attempt at bull-dozing or threatening the commissioners.

Mixon also says that there is no necessity for a great crowd at the hearing and that any disturbance would surely mitigate against the best interests of the taxpayers of the town of Washington.

A healthy adult may lose nearly a quart of blood before serious results become apparent.

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Linden Rd. subdivision gets re-write

A project map for a 173-home subdivision on 46 acres next to Linden Road has been sent back for review by the developer after discussion with the West Sacramento Planning Commission last Thursday evening.

Planning commissioners reacted to concerns from neighbors of the property about road access plans to the subdivision from Linden Road.

"The issues were that the neighbors and I were mostly concerned with how close each of the road outlets (onto Linden) would be," said planning commission member Jeff Henry. "That much traffic and proximity was too much for that style of street."

Henry said that the original plan called for three cul-de-sacs to empty onto the north side of Linden Road from the subdivision between Rubicon and Mojave, with a fourth new ingress/egress point beyond that. The development is located on the north side of Linden just east of Our Lady of Grace school and east of Jefferson Blvd.

By consensus, the commission agreed to ask the plan's proponents to re-design the road plans.

The "River Ranch" project is proposed by applicant David Stroud of Stroud Properties, on land owned by the Turner Estate Company of West Sacramento.

In local government

A meeting of the **West Sacramento City Council** will take place tonight at 7 p.m. in council chambers, 2101 Stone Blvd. Agenda items include the following:

1998 Service Awards ceremony.

Public hearing to consider various actions pertaining to the formation of Community Facilities District No. 8 and the sale of bonds, including adoption of resolutions and first reading of ordinance authorizing the levy of a special tax within CFD No. 8.

Public hearing to consider adoption of resolutions amending the book of city imposts for various development impact fees; and first reading of an ordinance authorizing inflationary adjustment for certain city fees.

Public hearing to consider adoption of resolution amending the book of city imposts for new fees and changes to existing fee schedules for various city regulatory activities, products and services.

Public hearing and consideration of resolution granting the consent of the City of West Sacramento to the transfer of control of the non-exclusive cable television franchise of Charter Communications Properties LLC to Paul G. Allen.

Consideration of appeal by Mr. Robert La Bella regarding payment of traffic impact fee as a condition of issuing a permit for tenant improvement at 725 Harbor Blvd.

Consideration of acceptance of work for the West Capitol Avenue pavement repair project completed by Biondi Paving, Inc.

Consideration of acceptance of the Jefferson Blvd. emergency vehicle preemption project completed by M & M Electric.

Consideration of the acceptance of the West Sacramento Riverfront Improvements Phase I.

Consideration of classification description and salary and benefits schedule for the position of code enforcement trainee and amendment to the authorized position list.

Consideration of resolutions initiating the formation of Community Facilities District No. 10.

Consideration of resolutions initiating the formation of Community Facilities District No. 11.

Consideration of a revised contract with Yolo County Housing Authority for relocation and replacement housing services in conjunction with replacement housing under construction at Douglas, Lighthouse and Cummins.

Presentation and discussion of ordinance revising the uniform traffic code to reorganize the traffic committee.

Consideration of proposed traffic calming measures in Rockrose/Madrone/Laurel Lane/Westacre/Jefferson areas.

The **West Sacramento Economic Development Advisory Commission** will hold a meeting on Thursday, Dec. 10, at 6 p.m. at city council chambers, 2101 Stone Blvd.

Agenda items include a Free Trade Zone presentation by John Sulpizio of the Port of Sacramento, the 1998 Business Recruitment Progress Report, follow-up items from the Oct. 28 EDAC meeting (BREP), and confirmation of dates of January EDAC meetings (Jan. 7 and Jan. 27).

Police log

Dec. 3, 7:10 p.m.

On Corrigon Ct., a man was arrestd for assaulting his ex-girlfriend (with whom he had a child). He was accused of punching her once in the stomach, knocking her to the ground. The victim pressed charges. the man also had an outstanding misdemeanor warrant and was booked.

Dec. 4, 8:20 a.m.

On Coke St., an officer took a report that someone had broken a business's front window and taken a computer and a telephone from the front office.

Dec. 4, 8:35 a.m.

On Safflower Pl., suspects during the night entered a detached, locked garage (apparently using a radio garage door opener) and got into a car inside, stealing a radio/CD player and two speakers.

Dec. 4, 9:30 a.m.

A vehicle on May St. was burglarized, with a radio/CD player removed while it was parked on the street during the night.

Dec. 4, 10:25 p.m.

A 47-year old transient man was arrested for causing a disturbance at a local convenience market. He was found to be extremely intoxicated, and during transport he made several threats to harm or kill the arresting officer, and tried to kick out the window of the patrol car several times. He was restrained in a police "wrap" device and taken to jail.

Dec. 5, 3:52 a.m.

Officers responded to a Lake Rd. restaurant regarding several subjects who left without paying for a meal. Given the license number to the suspects' car, police traced it to a local man and an officer waited at his home. The man, who was an parole, was arrested upon arrival. Other subjects were identified and a report forwarded to the district attorney.

Dec. 5, 6:50 a.m.

On Lilac Ln., a car was stolen during the night. It was later found parked on Laurel Lane at 8:30 a.m.

Dec. 5, 1:15 p.m.

Juveniles were refused the sale of pornographic magazines. They left the store and left a bicycle behind, which police booked.

Dec. 5, 4 p.m.

A West Capitol Ave. resident allowed an acquaintance to stay, then reported that the person stole clothes and insulin syringes.

Dec. 6, 8:40 a.m.

On Linden Road, someone reportedly had thrown eggs at a parked car.

Dec. 6, 12:38 a.m.

An officer contacted a woman walking in the middle of the street. She had a felony warrant and was arrested. During booking procedures, 0.3 grams of methamphetamine were found in her purse.

Dec. 6, 2:31 a.m.

At a 6th St. location and a B St. location, dumpster contents were discovered on fire. The only damage was to the refuse inside.

Cache Creek gravel/water quality hearing

The state regional water quality control board's Central Valley division will hear public comment this Friday on a mining plan for west Yolo County's Cache Creek area. The meeting will be held at 9 a.m. on Dec. 11 at 3443 Routier Rd., Suite A, in Sacramento.

In 1996, the county adopted a gravel mining plan and creek restoration plan for the area. On Friday, the regional water board will consider recommending that a "negative declaration" be adopted by the state for operations including removal of gravel from the channel.

Critics of the new plan believe that Yolo County well water and Delta water quality would be affected by any expansion of current mining plans.

Locals in uniform

Navy Seaman Raul F. Cisneros, son of Raul and Maria Cisneros of West Sacramento, is currently halfway through a six-month deployment to the Western Pacific Ocean and Arabian Gulf aboard the destroyer USS Fletcher, home ported in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

Cisneros' ship is part of the multinational interception force in the Arabian Gulf to support U.N. sanctions levied against Iraq after the 1991 Gulf War.

The 1995 graduate of RCHS joined the Navy in August 1997.

Yolo agency sponsors therapy for kids in custody-type conflict

Yolo Family Service Agency is offering a therapy group for children of divorced and separated families called "Passages." This group will serve children between 10 and 14 years of age. The group curriculum is designed to help children from families where parents have been in on-going conflict or disagreement over custody, visitation or parenting, or where non-communication has significantly impaired co-parenting. The weekly groups will begin on Tuesday, January 12, 1999, at Merryhill School in Davis. The co-facilitators of the group are Julie Leung, LCSW and Beth Parker-Sloat, MS MFCCI.

Yolo Family Service Agency will accept applications on an ongoing basis for children 7-14 years of age from parents who are interested in the "Passages" program.

The series is funded through Yolo County Social Services, Pacific Bell and Mercy Foundation. The generosity of these funders allows participation in the groups at a nominal cost.

For more information about this series or other programs offered by Yolo Family Service Agency, please call 753-8674 or 662-2211.

Support sessions for friends, families touched by suicide

Suicide Prevention Yolo County will be offering a one-evening support session for Friends and Families of Suicide Loss on Thursday, December 17, from 7 to 9 p.m. in Davis. This will be an opportunity for survivors of suicide to provide each other with some support during this often stressful holiday time. Any adult who has experienced the loss of a friend or family member through suicide is encouraged to attend. Individuals are welcome, no matter how long ago the suicide occurred. Support can be given and received among a group that has suffered a similar loss. Hope can be achieved by meeting others whose grief is becoming a little easier through time and support.

There is no charge, as the group is funded through the Ladd Clark Memorial Fund and Suicide Prevention Yolo County. The group will be facilitated by Sandra Sinz, LCSW. Group size may be limited, so please call the Suicide Prevention business office at (530) 756-7542 for information.

NEIGHBORHOOD PRAYER
A neighborhood "House of Prayer" has been established to pray for individuals and their households.
Send your prayer request to: House of Prayer, 1021 Virginia Ave., W. Sac. CA 95691

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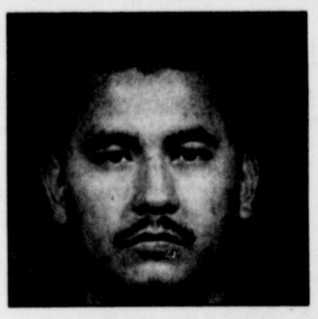
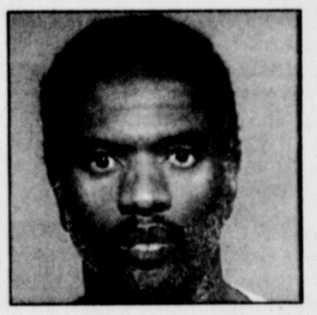
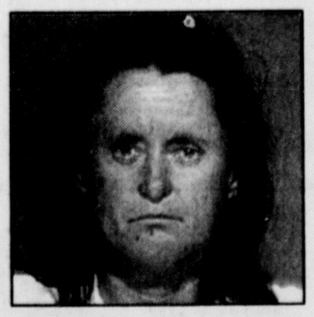


Ruben Cervantes Candelas is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department for violation of probation. Candelas, a 22-year-old male with black hair and brown eyes, stands 5'8" and weighs 175 pounds. He has been known to be violent and to carry weapons.



Thomas J. Alexander is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department for possession of stolen property. Alexander, a 41-year-old male with black hair and brown eyes, stands 5'9" and weighs 150 pounds.

Bobby Wayne Hawkins is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department for violation of probation. Hawkins, a 36-year-old male with brown hair and blue eyes, stands 5'11" and weighs 220 pounds. He has been known to be violent.



Edith Ruth Aguilar is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department for violation of probation. Aguilar, a 49-year-old female with black hair and brown eyes, stands 4'9" and weighs 80 pounds.

If you have information regarding the whereabouts of any of these individuals, please contact the West Sacramento Police Department, Warrants Section, at 372-2461, ext. 226, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. If you know the immediate location of the person outside of normal business hours, contact West Sacramento Police Department Dispatch at 375-6474.

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This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on .

/s/John R. Gamper

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 5, 1998
by: /s/K. Weisenburg, Deputy Clerk

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS NO.: 98-12465-A LOAN TYPE: FHA LOAN NO.: 8000924130 INVESTOR #: SERVICER: CHASE MANHATTAN MORTGAGE CORPORATION YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 4/27/77 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 12/22/98 at 1:00 PM, LAW OFFICES OF STEVEN J. MELMET, INC., as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 5/20/77, as Instrument No.9451, in book 1247, page 191, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, State of California, Executed by ALTHEA V. DEVONT, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 to the Financial code and authorized to do business in this state) at AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL, 2101 STONE BLVD., WEST SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: LOT 74, ELKHORN VILLAGE NO. 6, FILED SEPTEMBER 24, 1956, IN BOOK 5 OF MAPS, PAGE 36, YOLO COUNTY RECORDS. APN #014-287-061 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 949 JOAN STREET BRODERICK, CA 95691 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $16,252.96 The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. Date: November 17, 1998 LAW OFFICES OF STEVEN J. MELMET, INC., AS AGENT FOR BENEFICIARY SHERYL DELK, Authorized Signature 2912 S. Daimler Street, Santa Ana, California 92705-5811 Sales Line: (916) 387-7728 ASAP340490 12/02, 12/09, 12/16

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On 12/23/98 at 1:00 PM, LAW OFFICES OF STEVEN J. MELMET, INC., as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 4/13/92, as Instrument No.011517*, in book 2335*, page 690*, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, State of California, Executed by CLARENCE E. THOMAS AND GLADYS V. THOMAS, HUSBAND AND WIFE AS JOINT TENANTS
WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 to the Financial code and authorized to do business in this state) at AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL, 2101 STONE BLVD., WEST SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA
all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: LOT 20, BLOCK 14, WESTFIELD VILLAGE UNIT TWO, FILED JULY 17, 1950 IN BOOK 4 OF MAPS, AT PAGE 27, YOLO COUNTY RECORDS.
Said Deed of Trust Re-recorded on 06/24/92, Document No. 020878 in Book 2366, Page 175 APN #008-301-021
The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be:
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The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein.
Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust.
The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $67,227.04
The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located.
Date: November 17, 1998
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File No. 98-676
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/are doing business as: ADVANCE AMERICA / ADVANCE AMERICA, CASH ADVANCE CENTERS, 961 E. Main St., Spartanburg, SC 29302

Advance America, Cash Advance Centers of California, Inc., a Delaware Corporation, 961 E. Main St., Spartanburg, South Carolina 29302

This business is conducted by a corporation.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on August 27, 1998.

SIGNED: ADVANCE AMERICA, CASH ADVANCE CENTERS OF CALIFORNIA, INC., By: William M. Webster, IV, President

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on November 12, 1998.

NOTICE-This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the Office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 17900 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 6, 1998
File No. 98-670

The following person is doing business as Rijk Zwaan Export, 2324 Bryce Lane, Davis, CA 95616:

Christopher B. Miller, same address.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1 Nov '98.

/s/Christopher B. Miller
Senior Product Development Manager
Rijk Zwaan

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 6, 1998
by: /s/Victoria Barnes, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 14, 1998
File No. 98-610

The following person is doing business as Pure Health, 200 Solano Park Cir. #1-D, Davis, CA 95616:

Emilee Hong, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/1/98.

/s/Emilee Hong

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Date: Oct 14, 1998
by: /s/Karen Smith, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 5, 1998
File No. 98-667

The following person is doing business as FAB Welding, 1113 Charles St., West Sacramento, CA 95605.

Forrest Allan Burns, same address.

This business is conducted byan Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Oct. 31, 1998.

/s/Forrest A. Burns

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 5, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 30, 1998
File No. 98-650

The following person is doing business as Fusions; Fusions Asian Bistro; Fusion; 2171 Cowell Bl Suite #F, Davis, CA 95616:

Fusions Restaurant, Inc., a California Corporation, same address.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on .

/s/Glenn Lew
President
Fusions Restaurant, Inc.

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Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 9, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 5, 1998
File No. 98-665

The following person is doing business as Indoor Nature, 2913 Claudia Ct., W. Sac., CA 95691:

Patricia Ann Kenney, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/85. Previous fictitious business number: 1985.

/s/Patricia A. Kenney

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by: /s/Cynthia Stiles , Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 13, 1998
File No. 98-680

The following person is doing business as Harrison Concrete Cutting, 33522 C.R. 24, Woodland, CA 95695.

Arthur J. Harrison, Jr. (Butch) and Penny J. Harrison, 33522 County Rd. 24, Woodland, CA 95695.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11-12-98.

/s/Arthur J. (Butch) & Penny J. Harrison

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Date: Nov 13, 1998
by: /s/Lupe Ramirez, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 20, 1998
File No. 98-623

The following person is doing business as The Shoppers Guide, 920 Third St., Suite A, Davis, CA 95616:

Paul Katsch, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/83.

/s/Paul Katsch

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Oct 20, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk
Nov 25 Dec 2 9 16

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF YOLO
In the Matter of TERRANCE GUS LEE SPOONEMORE, Minor.
No. JR-98-00284
CITATION

TO: Spurgeon Owens, Ron Kinnard, and all persons claiming to be the father of the above named minor.

YOU ARE HEREBY CITED AND REQUIRED TO APPEAR at a hearing in Yolo County Juvenile Court, located at 238 W. Beamer Street, Woodland, California, 95695, on January 27, 1999, at 1:30 p.m. o'clock. At the hearing, the Court will decide whether to permanently terminate your parental rights over the above-named minor child born to Kelly Spoonemore on July 5, 1998. If you wish to be represented by an attorney and are unable to afford one, the Court will appoint an attorney to represent you.

Dated: Nov. 9, 1998
/s/JANENE BERONIO
JUDGE/COMMISSIONER OF THE JUVENILE COURT
Dec. 2 9 16 23

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 5, 1998
File No. 98-662

The following persons are doing business as Construction Testing & Certification, 5568 Latin Wy, Fair Oaks, CA 95628:

Larry B. Tarkington, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/5/98.

/s/Larry B. Tarkington

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 5, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk
Dec 2 9 16 23

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 3, 1998
File No. 98-653

The following person is doing business as Communication Services; Sacramento Valley Phone Tree, 1817 Renoir Ave., Davis, CA 95616:

Jesse Salinas and Lisa Yep Salinas, 1817 Renoir Ave., Davis, CA 95616.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on October 1, 1998.

/s/Jesse Salinas

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 3, 1998
by: /s/Lupe Ramirez, Deputy Clerk
Dec 2 9 16 23

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 20, 1998
File No. 98-691

The following person is doing business as Occupational Therapy Consultants, 2804 Del Mar Pl, Davis, CA 95616:

Mary Ann Paulazzo & Cliff Smith, same address.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/23/93.

/s/Clifford R. Smith

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 20, 1998
by: /s/Vikki Wittig , Deputy Clerk
Dec 2 9 16 23

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 17, 1998
File No. 98-682

The following persons are doing business as Redwood Motel, 2500 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Sanjay D. Patel & Bina S. Patel, 2500 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento, CA 95691.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11-6-98.

/s/Sanjay D. Patel and Bina S. Patel
Owner
Redwood Motel

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 17, 1998
by: /s/K. Weisenburg, Deputy Clerk
Nov 25 Dec 2 9 16

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 3, 1998
File No. 98-654

The following persons are doing business as Entheos Company, 3226 Chesapeake Bay Ave., Davis, CA 95616:

Ona Olito and Michael White, same address as above.

This business is conducted by an Unincorporated Association - other than a Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/3/98.

/s/Michael White

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Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 3, 1998
by: /s/Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk
Dec. 9 16 23 30

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 13, 1998
File No. 98-679

The following person is doing business as Hometown Properties Real Estate, 39961 Barry Road, Davis, CA 95616:

S.K. Bunfill, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/01/98.

/s/Madeline Bunfill

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 13, 1998
by: /s/Victoria Barnes, Deputy Clerk
Nov 25 Dec 2 9 16

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 19, 1998
File No. 98-684

The following person is doing business as Moon Dancer; M.O. and Associates, 4447 Cowell Blvd. #62, Davis, CA 95616:

Patricia Marie Hogan-Newsome, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11-15-98.

/s/Patricia Marie Hogan-Newsome

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State of California
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Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 19, 1998
by: /s/K. Weisenburg, Deputy Clerk
Dec. 9 16 23 30

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 23, 1998
File No. 98-694

The following person is doing business as Nantiques, 30-A Main Street, Woodland, CA 95695:

Paul Mayhew Anderson and Nan Louise Anderson, 1538 Owens Valley Dr., Woodland, CA 95776.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11-23-98.

/s/Nan L. Anderson

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Date: Nov 23, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk
Dec 9 16 23 30

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 4, 1998
File No. 98-660

The following person is doing business as CGI Technologies, 2505 Fifth St. #243, Davis, CA 95616:

Evan Scarisbrick, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/29/98.

/s/Evan Scarisbrick

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Date: Nov 4, 1998
by: /s/Cynthia Stiles, Deputy Clerk
Dec 9 16 23 30

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Dec 4, 1998
File No. 98-707

The following person is doing business as Riverside Business Park, 1679 Enterprise Blvd., Suite 50, West Sacramento, CA 95691:

SN Properties Partnership, 1121 S.W. Salmon Street, Portland, OR 97205. Partners of SN Properties Partnership include: Jordan D. Schnitzer and Northern Warehousing Inc. Defined Benefit Plan & Trust.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on .

/s/Jordan D. Schnitzer, Partner
Northern Warehousing Inc. Defined Benefit Plan & Trust, Partner

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 20, 1998
File No. 98-678

The following person is doing business as TIP; TIP Trailer Leasing, 601 Harbor Boulevard, West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Transport International Pool, Inc., incorporated in Pennsylvania, 426 West Lancaster Avenue, Devon, PA 19333.

This business is conducted by a corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8/1/96.

/s/James T. Breedlove, Secretary
Transport International Pool, Inc.

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 20, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk
Dec 9 16 23 30

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov. 3, 1998
File No. 98-655

The following persons are doing business as Acme D.J, (Disc Jockey), 2585 Higgins Rd., W. Sacramento, CA 95691:

Jeffry Lyon, Michael Chrisman, same address as above.

This business is conducted by a Co-Partners. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/3.

/s/Michael Chrisman
/s/Jeff Lyon

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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 3, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk
Dec 9 16 23 30

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 20, 1998
File No. 98-685

The following person is doing business as D&D Mass Mailing Services, 855 Riverside Parkway, Suite 40, West Sacramento, CA 95605:

Daniel F. Andrade and Diane G. Andrade, 8243 Summer Falls Cir., Sacramento, CA 95828.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12-5-97. Previous fictitious business name number 9409473 in City of Sacto.

/s/Diane G. Andrade
/s/Daniel F. Andrade

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 20, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk
Dec 9 16 23 30

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE: TS NO. 98-9388 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 10/3/96. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described Property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges, and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: Franklin J. Thomas and Joan M. Thomas, husband and wife, as joint tenants Duly Appointed Trustee: **Buckley & Associates, Inc.** Recorded **10/14/96** as Instrument No. **96-0025181-00** of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo, County, California, Date of Sale: **12/29/98** at **11:00 AM** Place of Sale: **At the Main steps to the County Courthouse, 725 Court Street, Woodland, Ca** Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: **$93,620.22** Street Address or other common designation of real property: **815 Stuart Court West Sacramento, Ca 95605** APN **14-500-13** The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown, above. If no Street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the Property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. Date: **December 01, 1998 Buckley & Associates, Inc.** 26522 La Alameda, Suite #200 Mission Viejo, California 92691 949-348-8826 Arlene C. Bowditch, Asst. Vice President **C288098** 12/9, 12/16, 12/23 1998

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov 5, 1998
File No. 98-663

The following person is doing business as GMR Associates, 501 10th Street, Davis, CA 95616:

John R. Gamper, Jr., 501 10th St., Davis, CA 95616; Michael C. McCoy, 26738 Rd. 34, Winters, CA 95694; William C. Rowe, 226 G Street, Redwood City 94063.

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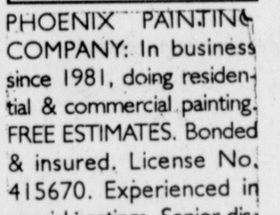

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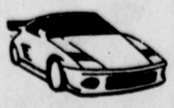

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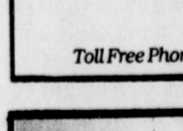
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Carols, Candy Canes & Cocoa

The staff and students of Evergreen Elementary School are pleased to invite you to "Carols, Candy Canes and Cocoa," a winter fantasy which will be performed by the Evergreen students on Thursday, Dec. 17, at 6:30 p.m. in the Yolo High School auditorium.

Senior Spin

"Senior Spin," the West Sacramento Senior Center's takeoff on the popular "Wheel of Fortune" TV game show, is back on Charter Cable TV. It repeats on Channel 21 seven days a week starting at 6:30 p.m., plus every Wednesday at 7 p.m. The current show starts contestants Dorothy Edmonds, Cecelia Hilliker and Jennie McNeil. Dee Bowen is host and Darlene Ellison is "Vanna Banana." Be sure to watch and see who wins the first prize $25 gift certificate donated by the West Sacramento Canned Foods Grocery Outlet.

Christmas Basket Project

The following are some ways in which you can help with the West Sacramento Christmas Basket Project: 1) Donate canned goods, baby food, fruits, staples, toys, etc.; 2) Prepare lunch for 25 volunteers who will be sorting foods and packing the baskets; 3) Provide a complete Christmas basket for a needy family; 4) Make a cash donation to the basket project (mail to: P.O. Box 1236, West Sacramento, CA, 95605-1236). For more information, please call Carol Bryant at 372-3360.

Little League Tree Lot

The West Sacramento Little League's Christmas tree lot is open for business again this year with competitively priced Douglas fir, Scotch pine, and noble fir trees from 2 1/2 to 9 feet. Located on West Capitol Avenue, in the parking area between Blockbuster Video and Rite-Aid Pharmacy, the lot will be open every afternoon and evening until all the trees are sold. Don't let someone else buy your tree. Shop early for the best selection. The lot is a tradition fundraiser for the over 400 area youth who play organized baseball. All of the tree lots workers are volunteers and all of the money raised goes to promote Little League Baseball in West Sacramento.

Elks' Tree Lot

Your West Sacramento Elks's Lodge, a community service organization, will conduct a sale of fresh cut Christmas trees at their lodge, located at 1020 West Capitol Ave., between Safeway and the bowling alley. Local Elks plan to cut the trees at the Georgetown Lumber Company and begin sales upon their return. Trees of all shapes and sizes will be available, as well as cocoa, coffee and other traditional holiday beverages and spirits -- and all at the most competitive prices. For information call 372-2980.

A Victorian Fantasy

The Board of Directors of the Yolo County Historical Museum invites members, volunteer and friends to "A Victorian Fantasy," an appreciation party featuring entertainment, wine and hor d'oeuvres, on Thursday, Dec. 10, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the museum, located at 512 Gibson Road in Woodland.

Holiday Home Tour

The West Sacramento Little Skipper Auxiliary of Children's Home Society will present its 9th annual West Sacramento Holiday Tour on Saturday, Dec. 12, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Five festively decorated homes located in various areas of West Sacramento and Southport are featured on this year's tour. A sixth home where refreshments will be served, and baked good, holiday craft, and boutique items are available for sale, will be open at 10:30 a.m. All proceeds benefit Children's Home Society. Tickets are $10. Call 855-3907 or 372-1535 for tickets or tour information.

Special Bingo

The West Sacramento Elks Lodge will hold a "Special Bingo" game on Sunday, Dec. 13 at 2 p.m. at the lodge, located at 1020 West Capitol Ave. Prizes will be turkeys and hams. For information, call 371-7122.

Kids' Christmas Party

On Saturday, Dec. 19, a Christmas party for all community children ages 12 years and under will take place beginning at 10 a.m. at the Elks Lodge, located at 1020 West Capitol Ave. Decorate a tree, visit with Santa, and eat hot dogs and chips. For information, call 371-7122.

Kids' Christmas Party

On Sunday, Dec. 13, a Christmas party for all community children ages 8 years and under will take place beginning at 2 p.m. at the Bryte VFW #9498, located at 1708 Lisbon Ave. Santa, a magician, refreshments, stockings and gifts will all be part of the party.

Drug concerns

A group concerned about abuse of alcohol and drug abuse in West Sacramento will rally this Sunday, Dec. 13, at 1:30 p.m. at the Holy Cross Church, 1321 Anna St., said spokesperson Dick Goodson. He added that the group opposes West Sacramento clients of drug and alcohol abuse programs having to travel to Woodland to seek services, and that such services ought to be available in West Sacramento.

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Young artists strut their stuff

By Betty Fairbairn Sokolich

The arts are alive and flourishing at West Sacramento's River City High School and Yolo High School, as evidenced by the exciting display of creative art work by the art students under the guidance of teachers Jennifer Flynn and Joe Schumaker at River City High, and Richard Walsh and Jerry Sollee at Yolo High.

An awards ceremony for the students was held on Saturday, December 5 at the Arthur F. Turner Branch Library in West Sacramento. Each participant received a gift certificate from the West Sacramento Art Guild. The money was from a grant received by the guild from the West Sacramento Parks and Recreation District to encourage art in our schools and communities.

Carmen Delgado created a colorful interpretation of the props found in an art room into a predominately purple with complimentary contrast composition using pastel and glue resist. Others using the same technique included Morton Geivett's still-life of tools in bright colors, and K.V. Saecho, who looked at a paintbrush and bucket and abstracted the forms into pure saturated colors of blue and yellows.

Melissa Chavez used tempura for her dramatic use of primary colors. Subtle gradations of values was achieved by Curtis Buchholz with pencil representing a bowl of fruit and bottles.

Tavia Herren used simplified shapes for her silver print portrait; Sarah Moore's print is of a series of mountain-like forms; and "Shadows" is an intriguing triptych of shadows made by a fence and trees, created by Aidee Robledo.

The two artists from Yolo High School used larger formats for their expressive paintings. Nighttime is often a time for introspection, when the imagination of sights and sounds can run amuck. Interpreting that experience into a visual entity is difficult but was successfully accomplished by Robert Razo in his creative work titled "The World."

Untitled second place winner by Sarah Moore

(Photos by Jennifer Flynn)
First place winner by Paul Fisher

The third prize was awarded to Rachel Everson for her multimedia painting which has a three dimensional addition of a ceramic, colorful, high-heeled shoe attached to the painting. The teenager dreams of the time to take on the responsibilities of adulthood. Everson has expressed much in her private symbolism.

The second and first awards went to River City High School students. The prolific artist Sarah Moore received second prize for her work -- an especially original and provocative prismacolor drawing of a mermaid posed in front of a group of sharks, as if she had control over them.

At first glance, Paul Fisher's first-prize prismacolor drawing looks like a well-defined tree; but on closer inspection, you find that the tree is made from human forms which overlap and spread from the trunk out to the limbs. Several individuals attending the reception suggested that the drawing be titled "Tree of Life," as it seems to symbolize how each generation is tightly related to those who went before them. The past is the foundation of the future. Fisher has a keen sense of design, and the positive and negative spaces are particularly dynamic in his work. The black and white drawing -- created with a black marker -- is remarkable and imaginative in the simplicity of the forms as a line of human forms in a tightly connected struggle across the paper.

The monthly exhibits at the library are sponsored by the East Yolo Friends of the Library.

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Sports Quiz Answers

1. the Pittsburgh Steelers; 2. Nolan Ryan; 3. the Brooklyn Dodgers; 4. home; 5. Muhammad Ali; 6. Martina Navratilova; 7. Willie Shoemaker; 8. Greg Norman; 9. New Jersey; 10. boxing; 11. Cincinnati Reds, Philadelphia Phillies, Montreal Expos; 12. New York Yankees; 13. Greg Louganis; 14. Michigan Stadium; 15. Vince Lombardi; 16. Penn State; 17. the Detroit Lions; 18. Manute Bol; 19. Michael Jordan; 20. Joan Benoit; 21. one inch; 22. women athletes; 23. Red Grange; 24. Pele; 25. Bo Jackson

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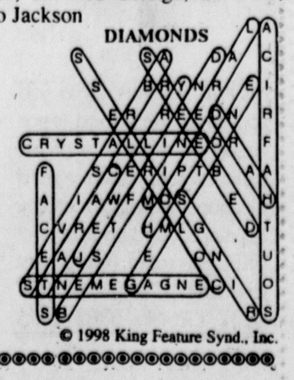

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